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PROCESSING METHOD AND RECORDING MEDIUM STORING  
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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Applicant is in receipt of the Office Action dated September 21, 2004 of the above-referenced application. Claims 1-23 are pending in the application.

An Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) was filed on August 10, 2004. The Examiner is requested to return an initialed and signed copy of the Form 1449 to indicate that the references cited therein have been considered.

Applicant's claimed invention is directed to an information processing device for creating and displaying a data file, an information processing method, and a recording medium (see independent claims 1, 20, and 23).